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Applicant: Austin, R. et al.

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ELECTRODE-LESS

DIELECTROPHORESIS

FOR

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PARTICLES

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination and prior to the calculation of the filing fee, please amend this application as follows:

In the Title:

Please amend the title to read: ELECTRODE-LESS DIELECTROPHORESIS FOR POLARIZABLE PARTICLES.

REMARKS

The title has been amended to correct the misspelling of "Dielectrophoresis". Attached is a clean copy of page 1 with the correct title. No new matter has been entered.

A prompt and favorable action on the merits is earnestly solicited. It is believed that no fee is required. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2165.

Respectfully submitted,

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